



**PATENT**  
ATTORNEY DOCKET NO. 1800

**THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

IN RE APPLICATION OF: MAGARAM et al.  
APPLICATION NO.: 09/332,459  
FILED: June 14, 1999  
FOR: Method and System for Representing  
Dependencies in a Financial Plan

EXAMINER: Nguyen, N.  
ART UNIT: 3628  
CONF. NO: 2958

**Amendment**

Commissioner for Patents  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Madam:

This communication is a response to the Office action dated January 13, 2006 (hereinafter "the Office action"). Please consider the following amendments and appended remarks, which applicants submit places the case in condition for allowance.